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Dear Parents and Guardians,

The safety of your children is always our top priority, which is why we are providing an update on a matter involving a former employee at our school.

On July 26, we notified you that an employee at Senn High School had been removed from the school due to allegations of inappropriate behavior. Recently, we learned that this employee, Joel Ewing, has been arrested and criminally charged. As I mentioned in July, Mr. Ewing was removed from the school as soon as we were made aware of the allegations.

I know this is difficult news for our entire community, and our counselors, social workers, and psychologists are available for students who need support. At Senn, we remain committed to providing our students with a safe, positive learning environment where they can reach their full potential, and I want to take this opportunity to remind you that I am available to discuss steps the district takes to keep students safe and any matters related to your child. You can also contact the Office of Student Protections and Title IX directly at (773) 535-4400.

Thank you,

Principal Mary Beck